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Applicants' propose to amend the drawings as shown in red on the attached sheet. With the Examiner's approval, please substitute the attached formal drawing sheets (sheets 1 and 8; Figs. 1 and 8) that have the amendments entered for the formal drawings previously filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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- ☒ A Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 to the Office Action dated January 2, 2004.
- ☒ Proposed Changes To Drawings (With Attached Markup Drawings And Substitute Formal Drawings)

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Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 06-1325.

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